

## 92992 to 93000—Continued.

92999 and 93000. *TRAPA NATANS* L.  
Trapaceae. Waterchestnut.

92999. No. 6927. *Hang Chow hsiao ling chiao*, small water nut of Hangchow. From Kutang, near Hangchow, Chekiang Province, March 20, 1931. Seeds presented by Chang Shih Lun. A locally grown variety. The nuts are said to be green when first taken from the water; later they turn black.

93000. No. 6928. *Ka Hsing nan hu ling chiao*, the south lake water nut of Kahsing, Chekiang Province. This nut is found only in this locality.

93001. *AMYGDALUS PERSICA* L. (*Prunus persica* Stokes). Amygdalaceae.

Peach.

From Africa. Seeds purchased from H. E. V. Pickstone & Bro. (Ltd.), Simon-dium, Cape of Good Hope Province. Received April 21, 1931.

Variety *Inkoos*. A freestone peach which is said to withstand warm weather during a normal cold winter.

93002. *DIOSPYROS KAKI* L. f. *Diospyraceae*. *Kaki persimmon*.

From China. Seeds presented by N. Gist Gee, Rockefeller Foundation, Peiping, China. Received April 24, 1931.

*Big Peking*.

## 93003 to 93065.

From China. Seeds collected by P. H. Dorsett and W. J. Morse agricultural explorers, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received April 20, 1931.

Nos. 93003 to 93035 are commercial varieties, obtained for the use of department horticulturists.

93003 to 93006. *BENINCASA HISPIDA* (Thunb.) Cogn. *Cucurbitaceae*. *Waxgourd*.

Nos. 93003 and 93004 are from Hangchow, Chekiang Province, March 20, 1931.

93003. No. 6945. A winter gourd.

93004. No. 6953. A round winter gourd.

93005. No. 6964. *Tung kua*, long citron winter gourd. Obtained through Dr. Hugh W. Hubbard, Paotingfu, March 15, 1931.

93006. No. 7752. Large winter gourd from Shanghai, March 24, 1931.

93007 to 93023. *CUCUMIS MELO* L. *Cucurbitaceae*. *Melon*.

Obtained through Dr. Hugh W. Hubbard, Paotingfu, March 15, 1931. They are classed by the Chinese as varieties of squash.

93007. No. 6967. *Ch'ing p'i hsiao tsai kua*. A small black-skinned melon, classed by the Chinese as a summer squash.

93008. No. 6968. *Pai pi tien kua*. A white-skinned melon.

93009. No. 6969. *Hsiao pai pi tsai kua*, meaning little white-skinned summer vegetable melon.

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93010. No. 6970. *Pa leng su kua*, or 8-cornered crisp melon.

93011. No. 6971. *Hung hsin pai pi tsai kua*. A red-hearted, white-skinned summer vegetable.

93012. No. 6972. *Hsiao pai pi tien kua*. A little white-skinned melon.

93013. No. 6973. *Shih tao ch'ing t'ien kua*, 10-stripe green melon.

93014. No. 6974. *Chih ma li su t'ien kua*, or sesame seed crisp melon.

93015. No. 6975. *Hsiao pai pi su kua*. A small white-skinned crisp vegetable melon.

93016. No. 6976. *Chin pa ch'ih t'ien kua*, or golden section muskmelon.

93017. No. 6977. *Hei pi hua tien kua*. A black-skinned field melon.

93018. No. 6978. *Hei han t'ien tsai kua*, or black-man's leg melon. A long slender summer melon.

93019. No. 6979. *Hsiao hung tzu t'ien kua*. A small red-seeded melon.

93020. No. 6980. *Hsiao chih ma li su t'ien kua*. A small sesame seed melon.

93021. No. 6981. *He ma su kua*, or toad-skin crisp melon. It resembles the Hubbard squash.

93022. No. 6982. *Ta pai pi su kua*. A large white-skinned melon.

93023. No. 6983. *Hsieh hua t'ien kua*, or drop flower melon. This melon is sweet as soon as the flowers drop.

93024. *CUCURBITA PEPO* L. *Pumpkin*.

No. 6961. *Hsi hu lu*, or western gourd. Obtained through Dr. Hugh W. Hubbard, Paotingfu, China.

93025 to 93033. *CUCURBITA MOSCHATA* Duchesne. *Cushaw*.

Nos. 93025 to 93029 were collected at Hangchow, Chekiang Province, March 20, 1931.

93025. No. 6947. Round south squash.

93026. No. 6948. Long red south squash.

93027. No. 6950. Early round south squash.

93028. No. 6951. Long red south squash.

93029. No. 6956. Round south red squash.

Nos. 93030 to 93032 were obtained through Dr. Hugh W. Hubbard, Paotingfu, China.

93030. No. 6959. *Hsiao pa leng wo kua*, small 8-cornered pumpkin.

93031. No. 6960. Mixed varieties of pumpkin from the mountains northwest of Paotingfu.

93032. No. 6963. Dog-neck squash.

93033. No. 7754. Long south squash from Shanghai, March 24, 1931.

93034. *CUCURBITA MAXIMA* Duchesne. *Squash*.

No. 6962. *Nan kua*, or south squash. A very large squash obtained through